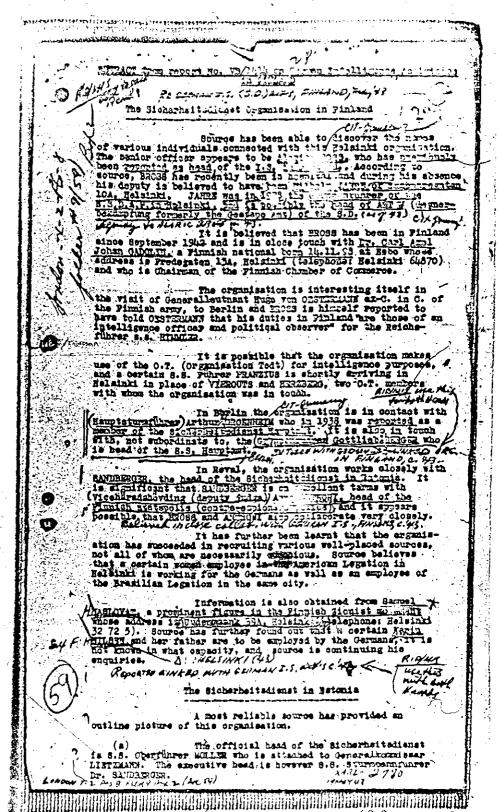
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XARZ-2780 19 MAY 43: (b). Under SANDRENGEN there are District (in Paron, Tartu, Tallinn, Norva, etc.). These appear opprespond to the Estonian police presponders.

(c) The Tartu District organisation say be taken as typical. Under the District Chief, Dr. SELYMID, is a staff composed mainly of Estonians. There is also a local Setomian District organisation which is officially independent of the Germans but is nevertheless under the control of the German district chief.

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It is through this channel that the puritical departments of the Estonian police prefectures are given orders by the Cermans.

Source emphasizes that although there are German police in Estonia they wear special uniforms and do not carry out ordinary police duties. They are believed to be a branch of the S.D. whose duty it is to supervise Germans in Estonia. Personnel are exclusively German.

Source is endeavouring to obtain further

It is apparent from the loregoing that the 8.D. is present in Estonia in a dual role of political supervision and political intelligence. This accords with what is known of this body. It is justifiable to assume that it has the same function in Finland, with the emphasis rather on the intelligence than on the supervisory side.

It is certain that in any ficinination of dermancintelligence organisations in Finland, Estonian conditions must be closely considered. The organisation directed by Collarius in an example of this, elthough in the case of the Sicherheitsdienst it is perhaps dangerous to greas the parallel too far.

it would however seem that any intelli-gence service in Finland must be considered as part of one organisation which embraces latvic and Estonia as well.